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## BOZUS FOUND GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER WILL BE SENTENCED MONDAY MORNING

### CHINESE REBELS CONTINUE SUCCESSFUL; TWO THOUSAND MEN KILLED IN BATTLE



MR. HWANG-SHING NAMED AS PROVISIONAL PRESIDENT OF CHINESE REPUBLIC.

FLAG OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

MACHINE GUN PLATOON IN CHINA'S NEW ARMY



GENERAL YIN-TCHANG FROM THE NORTH



MR. MA TSUN SHING, A LEADER OF THE CHINESE REVOLUTION.

### IMPERIALS WILL MAKE ONE GREAT EFFORT TO WIN

After That It Is Believed That Majority of Government Troops Will Go Over to Revolutionists Side—Japan Confirms Rebel Victory.

PEKING, Oct. 21.—Believing that an outbreak of the revolutionists here is imminent, the wildest excitement reigns today throughout the city, guards are on duty day and night at all the foreign legations and heavy supplies of provisions are being laid in so that a place of refuge for the European population may be at hand when the convulsion comes. The alarm became critical here when students warned the American missionaries in Chihli province that Peking was soon to be attacked. It is beyond question that the situation is of the gravest. The representatives of the foreign powers do not conceal their belief that the great attack on the fortress of the Manchu dynasty is near and it is freely predicted that when the assault does come blood will flow in rivers before the city falls.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 21.—Code dispatches received here today from Shanghai by the Chinese Free Press declare the imperialists near Hankow have suffered a defeat at the hands of the rebels and Admiral Sah's fleet on the Yangtze Kiang has been captured. Two thousand men are reported killed.

Report Victory for Rebels. TOKIO, Oct. 21.—Official confirmation of press reports that the Chinese rebels armies have gained a great victory north of Hankow were given out here today by the Japanese war office.

It is admitted by the officials that their secret means of communication has brought the news that the imperialists have been badly beaten and have been forced to retreat.

One Great Rally. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 21.—Dispatches to revolutionary agents here state that practically the whole of the Chinese army is mobilized near Sing Chow. It is believed that when the troops will have been completely assembled, they will make one grand rally for the emperor's flag and if that fails denunciations will be wholesale.

### CONVICTS WILL SOON BE AT WORK

County Court Accepts Offer of Governor and Committee Leaves Monday to Look Over Site for Camp—Will Work on Road Near Pumice.

Twenty-five convicts from the state penitentiary will be at work on the Crater Lake highway by November 1. This was assured when the county court at an informal meeting held Friday afternoon received the offer of Governor West from the committee of the Medford Commercial Club and accepted it. On Monday the members of the committee, Messrs. Reddy, Gerig and Putnam accompanied by Judge Neil and Commissioners Davis and Owens will leave for Peeler's place just this side of the Pumice grade where Contractor Natwick was camped and look over a camp site for the men and arrange for establishing them at that place. The men will be directed in the work by John Grieve and will this winter work on the grade this side of Peeler's place where it circles a bluff and is very narrow. The convicts will arrive by November 1 and will spend the winter working on the road. The county will feed and clothe them and pay them 25 cents a day for their work.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wn.—Beginning November 1 this fort will be turned into a big school and the majority of the 1100 men and officers stationed here will become school boys until March 31. For four months instruction will be dealt out in all the common branches of knowledge and the more advanced subjects that might aid in a soldier's work.

### BRYAN'S NAME ON OREGON BALLOT

Commoner's Name Will Be Placed on the Official Ballot in the Oregon Presidential Preference Primaries to Be Held Next Year.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 21.—For the fourth time in history the name of the "peerless leader," William J. Bryan, will appear as a candidate for the presidency of the United States.

H. D. Wagon, member of the Jackson club, and a leader of the democratic minority in Oregon, today announced that the commoner's name would be placed on the official ballot in the Oregon presidential preference primaries next April. The democratic vote in Oregon is small.

### \$3.15 IS PAID FOR FANCY HOWELLS

The Rogue River Fruit & Produce Association has been advised of the following sales: P. F. E. car 5828 from Medford, Sept. 2, Howell pears; Rogue River Fruit & Produce Association; fancy, average, \$3.15; choice, average, \$3; plain, average, \$2.20; part car grossed \$1191. P. F. E. car 8411 from Medford, September 2, Howell pears; Rogue River Fruit & Produce Association; choice, average, \$2.45; part car grossed \$93.

### PASTOR'S GUILT BECOMES MORE AND MORE PLAIN

Police Hourly Weave New Evidence Into the Net Which is Drawing More Tightly About Man Who Bought Trustful Girl Poison.

### AUTOPSY SHOWS HE HAD CRUELLY WRONGED GIRL

Police Have Well Established Theory of Passion, Greed and Inhuman Cruelty on Part of Minister.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 21.—Guilt and laggard, his nerve completely gone and on the verge of mental and physical collapse, Rev. Clarence Richeson is today helplessly watching from his cell the merciless investigation of his alleged murder of Miss Avis Linnell, the beautiful 19-year-old girl found dead in her bathroom, in which the police are hourly weaving new evidence into the net which is drawing more tightly about him. The police are now firm in the belief that the motive for the alleged murder was a desire on the part of the young clergyman to remove Miss Linnell, to whom he had been engaged, as a troublesome obstacle to his marriage with Miss Violet Edmonds.

### Death Rather Than Shame.

The reputation of Miss Linnell was blameless until she fell under the minister's spell. No suspicion touched the young girl until the fatal night when she sat in her bath room and swallowed the two crystals of cyanide which sent her to face her Maker, believing, the police, that it was medicine which would avert impending shame. Only when the autopsy revealed that the girl was to become a mother did the police begin to forge the links of the chain of circumstantial evidence which led to the arrest of Richeson and the lodging of a charge of first degree murder against him. Now they have almost completed a well-substantiated theory of passion, greed and inhuman cruelty on the part of the clergyman, almost incredible for a wearer of the cloth. In contrast to Miss Linnell, Miss Edmonds is not a beautiful girl. She is however, heiress to an estate valued at \$800,000. Her engagement to Richeson had been announced and hundreds of invitations for the wedding sent out, when it was called off by Mrs. Edmonds upon the minister's sensational arrest.

### One Link Only Missing.

It seems certain that Miss Edmonds knew of Richeson's acquaintance with Miss Linnell. Friends of Miss Avis Linnell say that she frequently visited Richeson's quarters in Cambridge, and was there on one occasion when Miss Violet Edmonds arrived in a brougham and called out greetings to the minister. Friends are positive that Miss Linnell was formally engaged to Richeson. The missing link in the chain of evidence is when and where the cyanide was given to Miss Linnell. The police expect to supply this link soon. They claim to have witnesses testifying that on the Thursday prior to the tragedy Richeson telephoned to Miss Linnell from the home of Mrs. John Danakia in Cambridge, saying: "Well, I will see you Saturday. It seems a long time until then."

A plea of insanity probably will be introduced in case Rev. Mr. Richeson is proven guilty of the terrible charge against him. Friends support the insanity theory, and point to incidents in the minister's past life as proof that he has often shown symptoms of being mentally unbalanced. Mrs. Linnell, mother of the dead

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### ONLY ONE MAN HAS CHANCE TO SIT ON JURY

Six Men Play Cards Today and Wonder Whether Any of Them Will Actually Pass Upon the Guilt or Innocence of McNamara.

### ONLY ONE HAS GOOD CHANCE OF REMAINING

He is Old Farmer With Patriarchal Appearance, a Native of Arkansas and a Bachelor.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 21.—These six men idly played cards on the top floor of the Hall of Records today and wondered among themselves whether any of them would actually pass upon the question of whether James B. McNamara is to be hanged for the destruction of the Los Angeles Times and the killing of twenty-one men or is to go free because the state was unable to prove its allegations. They represent the work of the last ten days spent trying to qualify a jury so "the most famous murder trial of a century" could proceed. The first four can only be eliminated by prementory challenge by one side or the other unless Judge Bordwell should, on Monday, after consulting authorities submit to him, reverse his action in overruling the challenge of the state against Robinson and excuse him. The challenges against both McKee and McIntosh are expected to be allowed, as both have admitted bias, although in opposite directions. Only One Has Chance. As a matter of actual fact, only one of the six has the slightest chance of finally being selected as a juror. He is Seabron H. Manning, a patriarchal appearing old rancher with long white chin whiskers. He is a native of Arkansas, a bachelor, and, although he admitted to having conscientious scruples against capital punishment where the evidence was circumstantial there could be no doubt that he would do his duty under the law as laid down to him by the court no matter what the consequences might be to anyone. Rain probably will be the first person prementory challenged by the state and it is likely the defense will mete out a similar fate to Green, Robinson, should the court hold to his decision, will also probably fall before a state prementory. Both sides devoted considerable time today to getting authorities ready for citation should the question of excusing jurors because of their opinions regarding the actual cause of the explosion at the Times, whether dynamite or gas, come up next week. So far Judge Bordwell has indicated that jurors who admit to set opinions one way or the other, will not be welcome, although he has made no positive declaration regarding it. Look for the ad that offers it to you, second-hand, at a real bargain!

### PENALTY FROM ONE TO FIFTEEN YEARS IN STATE PENITENTIARY

### WORLD'S ALTITUDE RECORD.



Roland G. Garros, the French aviator, at Parame, France, broke the world's record for altitude in an aeroplane. He ascended 4,250 metres (13,943 feet.) The achievement of Mons. Garros today better's Lincoln Beachey's height record made at Chicago August last by 2365 feet.

### JURY CAME IN EARLY THIS MORNING AFTER ALL NIGHT SESSION

Went Out Friday Afternoon but Failed to Reach an Early Decision—Prisoner Shows No Sign When Verdict Is Translated to Him.

### VERDICT A SURPRISE; SECOND DEGREE FAVORED

Bozus Will Be Sentenced at 9 O'Clock Monday Morning by Judge Calkins.

George Bozus, who shot and fatally wounded Christ Spanos in this city about two months ago, is guilty of manslaughter. He will be sentenced by Judge Calkins next Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

The jury which heard the case brought in a verdict at 8 o'clock Saturday morning after being in session all night, the case going to them at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. Late Friday evening Judge Calkins ordered them locked up for the night. This morning they came into court early and filed their verdict of manslaughter. The verdict came as a surprise as a consensus of opinion favored a second degree murder verdict and it was believed that such a verdict would be returned by the jury. When the verdict was translated to Bozus he displayed no emotion whatever. Judge Calkins, after thanking the jurors for their work on the case, announced that he would sentence Bozus at 9 o'clock Monday. The jury which heard the case was composed of: G. W. McNabb, R. O. Duncan, Fred Herrin, J. W. Bonar, E. A. Ford, W. C. Deneff, Ira Dunlap, H. A. Haney, Marion Tryer, J. E. Ensley, S. C. Newhall, J. Hartman.

### ITALIANS TAKE ANOTHER TOWN

Win Sharp Short Battle From Turks—Turkey Fears Attack Will Soon Be Made on the Island Chosos.

BENGAZIE, Tripoli, Oct. 21.—This city is in possession today of 400 Italians, who landed under Rear Admiral Aubrey and won a sharp, short battle from the Turks. The Turks put up a stubborn fight and for a while the invaders were repulsed, but reinforcements from the Italian fleet turned the tide of victory.

ATHENS, Oct. 21.—Turkey is in apprehension today of an attack by the Italians on the Island Chosos, according to reports here that Turkish troops are being sent there.

### YALE WINS FROM ARMY SCORE 6-0

Army Men and Sons of Eli Battle on Gridiron Three Inches Deep in Water—Contest Resolved Itself Into a Punting Contest.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Oct. 21.—Yale and West Point battled here today on a gridiron three inches deep in water. Yale won 6 to 0.

In a rapid exchange just after the kickoff the army men outpunted their opponents and put the ball on Yale's five-yard line. Immediately sending Dean over the goal line with the ball for a touchdown in three minutes of play. Dean kicked goal. The remainder of the period was a slow struggle in a sea of mud with the advantage alternating from side to side. Score: West Point 6, Yale 0.

The second period of the first half opened with another exchange of punts, which ended disastrously for the wearers of the blue, when Yale attempted to kick from the army's 45 yard line. Arnold broke through and blocked the punt. A general scrimmage followed, Gillespie, the army's left end, scooping the ball from the mud for a run to within two yards of the enemy's goal. Here, with another touchdown imminent, the army was penalized for holding and lost the advantage.

REDWOOD CITY, Cal.—Hillsborough's millionaire voters cannot count well in small denominations. In county the forty-one votes which they cast at the recent election, they counted five too many.

### KLAMATH FALLS SEES BATTLE

Mayor Sanderson and Editor Murray Clash on Street—Fight Over the Charge That Mayor Was Protecting Vice District.

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Oct. 21.—After a street fight here between Mayor E. F. Sanderson and Editor E. J. Murray of the Klamath Chronicle, the city attorney has today promised to investigate conditions in the tenderloin and to stamp on the district if possible. The fight started over charges by Murray that the mayor was protecting the vice district.

TACOMA, Wn.—After going from house to house requesting the loan of a butcher knife, saying he wanted to kill himself, Alfred Moore, irresponsible mentally, was captured by city firm turned over to the police.

MACON, Ga., Oct. 20.—Friends of Eugene Ely, the aviator who was killed by a fifty foot fall last evening are incensed over the manner in which curio-seekers stripped Ely's aeroplane for souvenirs, even taking his own collar and necktie from his body. Ely and his wife had intended to leave here shortly for Davenport, Iowa, to spend the winter at his father's home.